Listing of Claims:

This listing of claims reflects all claim amendments and replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. Material to be inserted is in **bold and underline**, and material to be deleted is in strikeout or (if the deletion is of five or fewer consecutive characters or would be difficult to see) in double brackets [[]].

- 1-19. (Canceled)
- 20. (Currently amended) A toy comprising: a body;
- a sound receiver mounted in the body and adapted to receive sounds in a first sound frequency range including sounds having frequencies between at least about 1 kHz and 10 kHz;
- a first sound analyzer coupled to the sound receiver and adapted to produce a first control signal indicative of sound received in a second sound frequency range below about 2 kHz;
- a second sound analyzer coupled to the sound receiver and adapted to produce a second control signal indicative of sound received in a third sound frequency range above about 5 kHz;

wherein the first and second sound analyzers are also adapted to suppress frequencies between about 1.5 kHz and about 7 kHz and thereby reduce the likelihood that sounds having suppressed frequencies will result in both first and second control signals being produced;

a first output device mounted in the body, responsive to the first control signal, and adapted to produce a corresponding first sensible action when sound in the second frequency range is received a first control signal is produced; and

a second output device mounted in the body, responsive to the second control signal, and adapted to produce a second sensible action when sound in the third-frequency range is received a second control signal is produced.

21-46. (Canceled)

- 47. (New) The toy of claim 20, in which the body includes at least one movable part, and in which the sensible action includes one or more of illuminating a light, producing a sound, and moving the at least one movable part.
- 48. (New) The toy of claim 20 wherein the suppressed frequencies and the second sound frequency range both include frequencies of normal human speech.
- 49. (New) A method of operating a toy having a body, the method comprising:

receiving in the body sounds in a first sound frequency range including sounds having frequencies between at least about 1 kHz and 10 kHz;

producing a first control signal indicative of sound received in a second sound frequency range below about 2 kHz

producing a second control signal indicative of sound received in a third sound frequency range above about 5 kHz;

reducing the likelihood of producing both first and second control signals by suppressing frequencies between about 1.5 kHz and about 7 kHz;

producing a first sensible action in the body upon production of the first control signal; and

producing a second sensible action in the body upon production of the second control signal.

50. (New) The method of claim 49, in which the body includes at least one movable part, and in which producing a sensible action includes one or more of illuminating a light, producing a sound, and moving the at least one movable part.